REMARKS

1. Election/ Status of Claims

The Applicants have elected with traverse Group I, Claims 1-24, in response to the restriction requirement mailed July 3, 2007. Claims 25-53 have been withdrawn.

Respectfully submitted,

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